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REISSUE APPLICATION

U.S. Patent No.: 5,528,482

Issued: June 18, 1996

Applicant: Allen Frank Rozman

Title: Low Loss Synchronous Rectifier For Application
to Clamped-Mode Power Converters


ASSIGNEE'S ASSENT TO REISSUE

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The undersigned Assignee is the owner of the entire interest in U.S. Patent Number 5,528,482 to Allen Frank Rozman by an Assignment that is recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 7023, Frames 441-443. In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.172, the Assignee hereby consents to the filing of the accompanying reissue application and further consents to the filing of the reissue oath by the inventor thereof.

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DECLARATION

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Box: Reissue

Sir:

As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that my residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name and that I believe that I am the original and first inventor of the subject matter which is described and claimed in the U.S. Patent No. 5,528,482, granted June 18, 1996, and for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled: "Low Loss Synchronous Rectifier for Application to Clamped-Mode Power Converters," the specification of which is attached hereto.

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims.

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I acknowledge the duty to disclose information that is material to the examination of this application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56.

I believe that the original patent is wholly or partly inoperative or invalid by reason of a defective declaration and that the error arose without any deceptive intention. The declaration was defective on its face since the application was inadvertently identified as a continuation-in-part rather than a continuation.

I further believe that the original patent is wholly or partly inoperative or invalid by reason of defective drawings and that the errors arose without any deceptive intention. More specifically, reference numerals were inadvertently omitted from several figures. The specification clearly supports the addition of the reference numerals and no new matter is introduced. The corrections are indicated in the drawings submitted in the reissue application.

I further believe that the original patent is wholly or partly inoperative by reason of claiming less than I had the right to claim in the patent and that the error arose without any deceptive intention. I believe that the scope of Claims 1-10 is unnecessarily narrow in light of what is disclosed in U.S. Patent Number 5,528,482.

New independent Claims 11, 21, 31, 41 and 51, as presented in the reissue application, are broader in scope. The new claims more particularly point out and distinctly claim the invention in U.S. Patent Number 5,528,482. The new claims do not introduce new matter since the specification, which has not been changed, directly supports the new claims.

New Claims 12-20, 22-30, 32-40, 42-50 and 52-60, as presented in the reissue application, are dependent on new independent Claims 11, 21, 31, 41 and 51, and therefore include the limitations of the new independent Claims. No new matter is introduced.

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All the errors corrected in this reissue application arose without any deceptive intention on my part.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, or any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this declaration is directed.

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